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For: SILICONE COMPOUND AND PROCESS FOR
PRODUCING THE SAME

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed September 24, 2007, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group I, Claims 1-2, drawn to a process for producing a silicone compound, classified in class 556, subclass 440, for continued examination.

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Respectfully submitted,

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